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TO AMEMBASSY BUENOS AIRES

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS:SHUM, AR

SUBJECT: CLAUDIA INES PEIRO

REF: (A) STATE 006988; (B) BA00457

ARGENTINA PROJECT (S200000044)

U.S. DEPT. OF STATE, A/RPS/IPS

Margaret P. Grafeld, Director

(X) Release ( ) Excise ( ) Deny

Exemption(s): DECENTRAL

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**DECONTROL**

1. CHRISTIAN CHURCH (DISCIPLES OF CHRIST) REPRESENTATIVE  
HAS INFORMED ARA/ECA THAT MISS PEIRO'S PARENTS WERE ABLE TO  
VISIT HER TWICE IN EARLY DECEMBER. PARENTS LEARNED THAT  
MISS PEIRO HAS NOT BEEN PHYSICALLY HARMED.

2. MISS PEIRO IS APPARENTLY PETITIONING TO LEAVE ARGENTINA  
AND HOPES TO OBTAIN VISA FOR DENMARK, GERMANY, HOLLAND,  
NORWAY, SWEDEN OR UNITED STATES. CHURCH WOULD ESPECIALLY  
LIKE HER TO COME TO THE UNITED STATES BUT FEARS VISA DIFFI-  
CULTIES. CHURCH INSISTS THAT MISS PEIRO IS NOT GUILTY OF  
ANY KIND OF SUBVERSIVE ACT.

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3. CLAUDIA'S MOTHER, WINNIE PEIRO, IS IN RESISTENCIA.

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EMBASSY MIGHT WISH TO TELEPHONE HER AT 6055 IN ORDER TO  
LEARN FURTHER DETAILS ABOUT THIS CASE.

4. ARGENTINE EMBASSY HAS ADVISED ARA/ECA THAT IT IS  
ANSWERING LETTERS BY STATING THAT MISS PEIRO IS BEIND HELD  
UNDER DECREE 1207 OF JULY 5, 1976 AT UNIDAD 2 OF VILLA

DEVOTO. THIS APPEARS TO CONTRADICT INFORMATION PROVIDED  
TO EMBASSY BY HUMAN RIGHTS WORKING GROUP (REF B), THAT  
MISS PEIRO IS NOT LISTED AS BEING DETAINED BY EXECUTIVE.  
DEPT. WILL CALL DISCREPANCY TO ARGENTINE EMBASSY'S  
ATTENTION.  
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